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AN EXPANSION PLEA

Wordy Combat In the House

of Representatives.

CROWDS APPLAUD MR. DOLLIVER.

He Declares That the Crisis of the

Hour Is Due to Treasonable Utter-

ances in Congress of Those Who

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26 .- The house

took a hand in the discussion of expan-

sion yesterday, using the army as a

text and taking advantage of the lib-

erty of debate permitted in committee

of the whole. Two Republicans led the

Mr. Johnson (Rep., Ind.) took the floor

in opposition to the bill. As he arose

the Democrats applauded and members

squared themselves around in anticipa-

of what he may conceive to be a popu-

lar demand," he began, "is hurrying the

army and navy across the seas to inflict

upon an alien people a government

against their will. I propose fearlessly,

without regard to its effect upon my

personal fortunes, to make a plea for

liberty and an argument against the

policy regarding the Philippines, he will

band to the weight of popular opinion,

plause from the Democratic side. Mr.

Johnson requested that such interrup-

tions cease, as they took up his time.

Several times before he had made a

Mr. Dolliver (Rep., Ia.) responded,

When Mr. Dolliver rose to speak there

was an outburst of applause from the

Republicans. Almost every seat on the

floor by this time was occupied, and

the galleries were packed to the doors.

He began by saying that he had no in-

tention of making an elaborate speech

on this bill, and he resented Mr. John-

son's statement that he had been ma-

neuvering for an opportunity to reply.

'I am not here to speak for the ad-

ministration," he continued. "I belong

to the humble ranks of my party and

have not been in the White House since

the war with Spain began. But I might

resent the statement that our president,

so accessible, is 'intrenched in the White

House.' He is intrenched in the White

House in the higher and better sense

and as securely as the gentleman from

Indiana is intrenched in private life,

brought there, as I believe, by his at-

tacks and criticisms of the Republican

It was sorrowful and discouraging,

he continued, that no sooner was the

protocol signed, when the nation needed

and the public safety demanded the

support of all, than there arose this

All the treasure that had been ex-

pended, all the victories that had

been won and all the possessions we

had gained were part of the context of

the resolution of April 29, 1886. If we

were wrong then, as his friend from In-

diana was sure we were: if the presi-

bewildering confusion of tongues.

supporting the president and urging the

This utterance raised a storm of ap-

to which he bows, right or wrong."

"If Mr. McKinley ever changes his

perpetration of injustice.

holding of the Philippines.

similar request.

While the president, in the presence

tion of some sensational utterances.

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Copper bottom Boilers.... BASEMENT. at the rate of 56 miles an hour the customary toasts were proposed, with humorous speeches by Sir George Faudel THE SYNDICATE FAIR STORE. REMEMBER

if our action in congress was a blunder

and a crime, it was a year too late to

go back and begin over again. If he (Mr. Johnson) supported the president

then, he should have the grace now in

the troubles that had arisen out of those

troubles to have met the situation with

generous solicitude instead of anger

and indignant protests. Almost alone

in this capital the president had beg-

ged and pleaded for time for a peacea-

ble solution against those who were

using their influence to inflame the pas-

sions of the hour against the resources

president of the United States insulted

wice on the floor of the house, once

last session by a member from the

president's own state. Mr. Lentz. He

had hoped that that insult would stand

alone. Today he had heard another.

when the gentleman from Indiana as-

serted that the president slavishly fol-

lowed public opinion, that he slavishly

found out what the people wanted be-

fore he acted. Unintentionally, said Mr.

Dolliver, the gentleman from Indiana

had paid to William McKinley the trib-

ute which a grateful country had lov-

ingly placed on the grave of Abraham

Lincoln-that he stood by the millions

of his countrymen. The president was

absolutely without responsibility for the

Spanish war. The initial responsibility

rested with congress and the people.

The congressional action had been a na-

tional action, and the American people,

counting no cost too heavy, had stood

by, approving witnesses of all that was

done and gentle sympathizers with all

When Mr. Johnson persisted in ask-

ing an answer to his questions, Mr. Dol-

liver waved him aside and amid an-

the crisis of the hour was due to the

almost treasonable utterances in this

chamber and in the senate chamber.

There was some excuse for the rioters

at Madrid, but none for those who at

home joined in reviling their country

and denouncing our peace commission-

ers for what they had done. Mr. Dolli-

ver caused much amusement by de-

scribing the "mingling of tears" be-

tween Mr. Carnegie, Mr. Bryan and Mr.

the decadence of their country. It was

a part of that sentiment voiced by the

member from Indiana that distrusted

its own country. Until the civil war

came no statesman had been found who

believed the nation could last over ten

years. But it remained for that war to

show that the great republic helongs to

The Samoan Affair.

department has forwarded to Embassa-

dor White at Berlin full instructions as

to the presentation he is to make to the

German minister for foreign affairs rel-

ative to the indignity reported to have

been offered the chief justice of Samoa

by the German officials at Apla. The

nature of these communications cannot

be revealed, but it is believed that they

show an ablding confidence in the dis-

position of the German government to

right any wrong that may have been

perpetrated at Apia through overseal-

Lord Charles Bereaford Coming Here

Lord Charles Beresford, who has been

visiting China in the interests of the

British Associated Chambers of Com-

merce, has sailed hence for San Fran-

YOKOHAMA, Jan. 26.-Rear Admiral

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26 .- The state

the centuries.

ous agents.

Cleveland and their lamentations over

other outburst of applause declared that

that had been suffered.

Dolliver said he had heard the

WE SELL AS

Phillips and others. Crowds of admirers welcomed the arrival of the newly wedded pair at the railway station in London and also at the Hotel Cecil. Baron and Baroness WE ADVERTISE. Cederstrom will go to Paris today.

Her Husband, Baron Ceder-

strom, Only Half Her Age.

HONEYMOON TO BE SPENT IN FRANCE

Wedding Made the Occasion of a

Holiday at Brecon, Wales-Bands

and Banners Head Proces-

sion to the Church.

LONDON, Jan. 26.—Adelina Patti was

Mme. Patti took a train from Craig-

y-Nos, her residence, to Brecon, which

was prettily decorated for the occasion.

The band of the South Wales border-

ers met the party at the station and

with the fire brigade and police, headed

by the town banner and the mace-

bearers, escorted the wedding party in

five landaus to the Roman Catholic church, which had been specially dec-

orated. Sir George Faudel Phillips, for-

mer lord mayor of London, gave Patti

Baron and Baroness Cederstrom

emerged from the church at 11 o'clock,

entered a carriage, the procession was

reformed, and the bride and bridegroom

proceeded to the railroad station and

started for London. They received an

The wedding breakfast was served on

the special corridor cars built for the

It was a unique affair. Mme. Patti's

meal. A table nearly 30 feet long was

laid in an improvised dining saloon,

with a kitchen attached. Bridal wreaths

were suspended from the walls of the

car, and a wealth of flowers from Craig-

y-Nos adorned the table. The dinner

service, silver and wines were all sup-

plied from Craig-y-Nos castle, while

the menu card was adorned with fanci-

The bride presided and herself cut the

While the train was speeding along

wedding cake, assisted by the husband.

ful and grotesque cupids.

ovation.

Prince of Wales.

away. The service was very short.

married yesterday at Brecon, Wales, to

Baron Cederstrom, director of the

health gymnastic institute here.

The procession to the church and returning to the station passed under several triumphal arches bearing inscriptions in honor of the bride. The streets were thronged with people, and the church was crowded with invited guesta.

Mme. Adelina Patti-Nicolini's trothal to the Baron Cederstrom, the Swedish nobleman, was announced on Nov. 15 last. The announcement was a great surprise to the singer's many admirers, who believed her heart bound up in the tomb of Signor Nicolini, who died only a year ago.

Baron Raif Cederstrom is both young and handsome and has been the director | ing upon the suggestion of Major Genof the Swedish Gymnastic institute in London.

Reception to Army and Navy Officers. WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—President and Mrs. McKinley gave a reception last night to the officers of the army and navy and the marine corps. Invited to meet them were the cabinet circle, the diplomatic corps and a contingent of congressional and resident society. The affair was one of the most brilliant thus far this season, the officers appearing in the full uniform of their rank. This, with the handsome toilets of the ladies, the prevalence everywhere in the decorations of the national colors and stirring music by the Marine and Fourth artillery bands, made the

Assistant Secretary Vanderlip III. CHICAGO, Jan. 26.-Assistant Secretary Frank A. Vanderlip of the treasury department is seriously ill at his home in this city. Secretary Gage's assistant has been in Chicago several weeks, having come direct from Washington. Before that time he was suffering from typhoid fever in Florida, and it is the after effects of this illness

occasion a notable and inspiring one.

which confines him to his bed now.

The Jury Disagreed. PROVIDENCE, Jan. 26.-The jury in the McWilliams manslaughter case disagreed yesterday afternoon, after having been out 24 hours. They stood seven to five for conviction. John W. McWilliams, Jr., was accused of causing the death of Arthur F. Adams. This was the second trial, and the attorney gen-

one.'

eral announces that there will be a third attempt.

Adjourned Without Results. CHICAGO, Jan. 26 .- The representatives of several western railroads, who have been in session here for nearly a week, trying to reorganize the Western Passenger association, have adjourned without having arrived at any conclu-

Light For the West Indies.

TRENTON, Jan. 26 .- Articles of incorporation have been filed of a Porto Rico company with an authorized capital of \$1,000,000. The company is empowered to manufacture and sell gas and electric light in the West India in-

Harbor Mines Exploded.

BOSTON, Jan. 26.-Sergeant Hart of the United States engineer corps at Castle island and his men have begun disposing of the remaining harbor mines at the island by exploding them in the water several hundred yards from the island.

Russin's Peking Guard Diminishes. PEKING, Jan. 26 Half of the guard at the Russian legation here has been withdrawn making it equal to the guards at the other legations.

PATTI WEDS AGAIN. WILL VOTE ON THE TREATY. Feb. 6 Fixed by the Senate as the

> WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.-The senate consumed about 45 minutes in executive session yesterday in arriving at a decision to vote on the peace treaty. As soon as the doors were closed and

the public excluded Senator Davis, chairman of the committee on foreign relations, announced that he was authorized by the committee to accept the proposition made in executive session by Senator Gorman to vote on the treaty within ten days. He therefore asked for unanimous consent that the vote should be taken at 3 o'clock on Monday, Feb. 6, saying that exactly ten legislative days would intervene between this time and that. He intimated that if there were any objections to this date he would like to hear them, but none was heard, and the hour and

the day were unanimously agreed to. The remainder of the 45 minutes was spent in exchange of questions and answers which are usually heard in efforts to fix a time for a vote and in making sure that all understood the

There was also an agreement that the senate should go into executive session each day between this time and Feb. 6 for the discussion of the treaty. Authority was also given for making the announcement of the agreement public.

The opposing senators made no objection to the date, neither suggesting an earlier nor a later date.

May Be a Clew.

board the train, which was composed of CINCINNATI, Jan. 26.-What may be an important clew in the murder case of Mrs. Kate J. Adams of New York has been found in the fact that before own chef prepared a most elaborate the murder of Mrs. Adams Von Mohl & Co. of Cincinnati, dealers in medicines, received a letter from H. Cornish, 1820 Broadway, New York, asking for a sample of medicine advertised in a New York newspaper. The letter was written on stationery of the Knickerbocker Athletic club. Mr. Brewster of Von Mohl & Co., after reading of the murder and of the connection in the case of Cornish, turned the letter over to the police. It is now in New York, where the handwriting can be compared with that of Cornish.

To Remember the Maine. HAVANA, Jan. 26. - Seventy-five

American women met in this city yesterday to arrange for a memorial of the anniversary of the destruction of the United States battleship Maine on Feb. 15. Mrs. Estes G. Rathbone presided, and a letter from Captain Sigsbee was read suggesting as features of the programme prayer, singing if desired, addresses by one or two prominent persons and a volley fired over the graves by a battalion of marines from the United States battleship Texas. Captain Sigsbee wrote that he had granted the request of a deputation of sailors and marines of the Texas to be allowed to decorate the grave.

Free Education For Cubans.

ITHACA, N. Y., Jan. 26.—President T. F. Crane has announced that at their last meeting the executive committee of the trustees of Cornell university, actal Joseph Wheeler, adopted the following: "Resolved, That free tuition be granted to two Cuban students for four years provided they be able to meet the university's requirements for admission and upon the general plan outlined by the Cuban Educational association of the United States."

Gift of Fifty Thousand Dollars.

CHICAGO, Jan. 26.-Edward B. Buter, president of the Illinois School of Agriculture and Manual Training School For Boys at Glenwood, has received a letter with an inclosure of two certificates of deposit for \$25,000 each. This sum, the letter stated, was contributed to the institution for the erection of a manual training building and a central steam plant on the grounds at Glenwood. The donor is a Chicagoan, whose name is withheld at his own re-

To Test Army Rations.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26 .- A board of officers has been appointed to meet in New York city for the purpose of examining, testing and reporting upon the various emergency rations as to their adaptability for use in the army and to compare the present emergency ration with those that may be submitted to the board. The detail for the board is as follows: Colonel Charles A. Woodruff, Lieutenant Colonel Charles Smart and Major Louis A. Craig.

Took Ingersoll's Cash.

CARLINVILLE, Ills., Jan. 26.-Colonel Robert G. Ingersoll lectured here at the opera house last night. Just before he appeared his manager informed him that Manager Pranke of the opera house had disappeared with all the recelpts except those from the box office and reserved seat sale. The colonel proceeded with his lecture, but remarked, "If there is no hell, there should be

Senator Proctor Goes to Cuba. WASHINGTON, Jan. 26. - Senator Proctor of Vermont left here yesterday afternoon on a trip to Cuba. He expects to make a tour of the island. He s accompanied by his family.

Rudyard Kipling's Return. LIVERPOOD, Jan. 26.-Among the passengers on the White Star line steamer Majestic, which sailed yesterday for New York, are Mr. and Mrs. Rudyard Kipling.

A Big Baby.

PAWTUCKET, R. I., Jan. 26,-Central Falls has the largest baby in the state. There was born to Mr. and Mrs. Pierce Trahan last night a boy who weighed 20 pounds and 5 ounces.

Parific Railroad Bonds Paid. WASHINGTON, Jan. 26,-Of the \$14,-900,000 of Pacific railroad bonds due Jan. 1 all but \$393,000 have been paid. The latter remain unpaid by reason of monpresentation.

PLEADS NOT GUILTY

Court Martial of General Eagan Opened at Washington.

NO DENIAL OF LANGUAGE USED.

His Counsel Mentions Promise of the President In Regard to War Board Witnesses-Considerable Testi-Mony Received by the Court.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26,-The board of army officers designated by the secretary of war to sit as a court martial in the case of Brigadier General Charles P. Eagan, commissary general of subsistence, charged, first, with conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman, and, second, with conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline in connection with his testimony before the war investigating committee, met in the red parlor of the Ebbitt House and proceeded with the business

The members of the court, who appeared in full dress uniform, were seated about a long table placed lengthwise of the room, General Merritt, the president of the court, occupying the seat at the head.

The first witness yesterday was Major S. C. Mills, recorder of the war investigating committee, before whom the commissary general of subsistence made his fierce attack upon General Miles. Major Mills said that when Eagan was delivering his testimony his demeanor was that of a man under intense excitement, which he was endeavering to control.

Major General Alexander McCook, retired, member of the war board, gave like testimony. General Eagan was not interrupted during the reading of his harangue. On cross examination General McCook said that President Mc-Kinley had ordered immunity to witnesses before the war board for any testimony that might be furnished. This applied, in his understanding, to what was considered "legitimate" testimony.

"Where did the president make this statement?"

"At the White House, I think." "I suppose the president did not refer to the kind of testimony that would be protected."

"Of course not!"

General McCook explained that protection extended only to proper testimony. Members of the court next questioned General McCook about the appearance of General Miles before the committee. It was asked if General Miles appeared of his own volition or in response to a summons.

"It was by request of the commission. He declined to volunteer any testimony," said General McCook.

"Then there was no difference in the manner of summoning him and other witnesses?" asked the court.

"None," was the answer.

"The prosecution has no further witnesses to offer at present," stated Colonel Davis, "but there are certain papers to be submitted to the court." General Eagan arose and faced his

accuser, Colonel Davis, who read to him the charge of "conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman."

He read to him the language used, referred to as "disgraceful, grossly insuiting and ungentiemaniy, oranging General Miles as "a liar, who lies in his throat, his heart, every hair of his head and pore of his body.

From a paper in his hand General Eagan read the following response:

"To the specification to first charge, not guilty, not denying, however, that the specification sets forth correctly a part of the language used; to the specification to second charge, not guilty, not denying, however, that the specification sets forth correctly a part of the language used.'

Mr. A. S. Worthington, for General Eagan, admitted the use of the language quoted, but objected to the use of this part of the testimony alone, cont-nding that in justice to him all that he did say upon the occasion should be heard in connection.

Mr. Worthington reviewed the statement of General Miles before the commission and declared that it implied corruption on the part of the commissary general of the army.

"General Eagan," stated counsel, went to the secretary of war with a copy of the statement of General Miles and asked that the commanding general of the army be court martialed for his assertions. This the secretary declined to do because General Miles was protected by the immunity granted by the president of the United States, General Eagan was told that, in view of this protection, General Miles could not be tried, and therefore General Eagan was unable to establish his innocence, Later there appeared in the New York Journal an interview with General Miles in which he repeated his assertions before the war commission, only

"This interview also implied corruption, and General Eagan, having no other recourse, was obliged to wait until he should be allowed to appear before the war commission and make reply to the charges. Meanwhile, as I propose to show by those in his immediate family. General Eagan's mind dwelt so on the statements in the press that by the time he was summoned to appear to testify it hordered on distraction.'

Planters' Bank Closed.

in stronger terms.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 26.-The Planters' bank, with a capital of \$25,000, has been closed by the state. The proprietors are under arrest by order of Secretary of State Leseuer and Assistant Attorney General Jeffries. The bank has no visible assets, it is alleged,

To Royes! Anti-Jesuit Law. BERLIN, Jan. 26 .- The reichstag yesterday passed the first and second readings of a motion offered by the Clerical party providing for the repeal of the anti-Jesuit law.

CHICAGO MOORES SOLVENT.

\$11 Debts Paid and Each of the Brothers Worth \$1,500,000.

CHICAGO, Jan. 26.-H. C. and J. H. Moore of Diamond Match, National Biscuit and Tin Plate fame have settled with all their creditors. They began to pay off their obligations several weeks ago. Within ten days they have paid out \$500,000 in cash, and La Salle street was so proud and happy that yesterday, it could not longer hold the secret. The Diamond Match company, too, has re-ceived \$200,000 from the Moores in full liquidation of their indebtedness to it. The promoters, who two and a half years ago failed for \$4,000,000 and who closed the Chicago Stock Exchange for three months, have now a clean financial bill of health and a handsome balance in the bank besides. They have paid the \$4,000,000 which they owed in cash and stock in the National Biscuit and American Tin Plate companies, and it has all been done in less than one year, since Feb. 28, 1898, when tthe Biscuit company was reorganized.

The settlement with the Diamond Match company was effected through a La Salle street banker. The indebtedness amounted to \$850,000 at the time the great speculative deal in Diamond Match collapsed. The Moores got along as best they could. One of the results of their downfall was the means of their financial rehabilitation. P. D. Armour and George Pullman found themselves large owners of New York Biscuit stock. W. H. Moore suggested that the best way to end the disastrous trade war between that company and the American Biscuit company was to consolidate the two companies. The Moores were engaged to organize an underwriting syndicate, which floated the National Biscuit company, with a capital of \$55,-000,000. The promoters received \$6,000,-000 of common stock for their services, and today that stock is worth 54 cents on the dollar.

With that stock for a starter, with \$10,000,000 of common stock in the American Tin Plate company which they received for promoting that \$50,-000,000 deal, the common stock in which is today worth 40 cents on the dollar, the Moores were again in a solvent condition, and after paying all old debts they are each reported to be worth \$1,-500,000. La Salle street is again willing to put its money wherever the Moores suggest. They are now bringing about another great combine on steel billet

SCOTT DEFEATS M'GRAW.

Elected United States Senator From West Thought

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Jan. 25,-Scott (Rep.) was elected sensior on first ballot. The vote was: Scott, 48; Mc-Graw, 46; Goff, 1.

Nathan Bay Scott was born in Guernsey county, O., in 1842. He enlisted in the Union army and was mustered out in 1865 and settled in Wheeling shortly afterward, where he went to work as an employee of the Central Glass company. In a short time he was employed as manager and soon afterward was selected president of the company, which position he filled for years. He was elected in 1882 as a member of the state senate and again in 1886, serving eight years. For five years he was West Virginia's member of the Republican national committee and during the entire time was a member of the executive committee. During the campaign of 1896 he was selected by President McKinley to serve with General Powell Clayton and Vice President Hobart in the headquarters at New York city. In recognition of his services President McKinley appointed him commissioner of internal revenue.

State Dairymen's Association.

GOUVERNEUR, N. Y., Jan. 26,-The twenty-second annual convention of the New York State Dairymen's association opened here yesterday under favorable conditions. The \$1,000 offered in prizes for butter and cheese has brought together 360 exhibits from all over the state. There is a larger exhibition in these lines than at the state fair. The average attendance at the three sessions is 1,000. Among the speakers yesterday were the former governor of Wisconsin. W. D. Hoard: Professor I. P. Roberts of Cornell, Dr. L. L. Vanslyke and Professor H. H. Harding of Geneva. A. R. Eastman of Waterville, Jared Van Wagenen of Lawyersville and Edwin Dodge of this city.

Total Abstinence In Massachusetts.

BOSTON, Jan. 26.-The annual meeting of the Massachusetts Total Abstinence society was held yesterday. Hon, S. B. Johnson of Waltham presided. The report of Secretary Noon showed that more than 10,000 pupils of the public schools in Massachusetts in 32 cities and towns had taken the total abstinence pledge. More than \$7,000 was received from over 5,000 contributors in the state. A gift of \$500 has been made to the permanent fund. Hon. John D. Long was elected president.

Strike In a Silk Mill.

SUNBURY, Pa., Jan. 26.-The employees of the Susquehanna Silk mill in this city went on strike yesterday for higher wages. Their leader asked for an increase from 4 to 9 cents per yard on large looms and from 3 to 7 cents on the small ones. This was refused, and 400 of the hands walked out of the mill. Superintendent Klerk is powerless to act until he hears from the New York office, and the strikers are determined to fight until the bitter

Pan-American Exposition.

BUFFALO, Jan. 26 .- The subscriptions to the stock of the Pan-American exposition which is to be held here in the summer of 1901 amounted to \$636,449 at \$ o'clock yesterday. The books were only opened on Saturday evening last at a banquet given in honor of Mayor Diehl, when it was only intended to raise \$500,000 by next Saturday night. It is now the purpose of the time.

dest was lavel as he said he was, and

party."

Miraculous Escape of a Miner from a Burning Shaft.

Was Surrounded by Fire and Escape Seemed Impossible-Water Turned to Steam Finally Extinguished the Flames.

Charles F. Miller, of Dubuque, Ia., who has been mining for the past three years on the Diamond mine of Amador county, Cal., who recently passed through Denver, Col., on his way home, tells an interesting story of his escape from death by burning in that mine and the results to himself.

"I have been a miner for ten years," said he, "seven years prior to my going to California having been put in on the Calumet and Hecla copper mine in Michigan, so that when I say that I will never set my foot in the workings of a mine again you may know that there must be some powerful reason for my taking such a resolution.

"I went to the Diamond mine three years ago as an assistant foreman of the top men, and soon after was made foreman of one of the shifts which were engaged in sinking a 350-foot shaft to connect with a tunnel that was being driven at the same time. We made the connection about a year ago, and since that time have been at work opening up the ore bodies above the tunnel level until about two months ago, when we started on an extension of the tunnel for the purpose of cutting another vein on the property, the extension having been driven about 100 feet from the shaft at the time of the fire.

"How it happened I suppose will never be known, but I have an opinion that one of the men was smoking. though it was against the rules, and either knocked the coals out of his pipe or threw a lighted match on a heap of splinters at the bottom of the shaft.

"At any rate, I was at the breast of the tunnel, which is considerably narrower than the shaft, investigating what I thought was a missed shot and also examining a narrow streak of ore



WITH NO MEANS OF ESCAPE.

that we had cut the day before, when my attention was attracted by a bright light. Turning, I saw that the timbers in the lower part of the shaft were all ablaze. I smelled no smoke, which was accounted for by the fierce draught that came through the tunnel and passed up the shaft in which were two parrels of water, but the fire must have been burning at least ten minutes when I first saw it, as big coals were dropping down.

"Just at that instant the fire was discovered at the surface, as some one blew the whistle in the speaking tube. I could not answer, as the tube ran down the shaft, and in a moment a section of the tube melted off and dropped to the floor.

"I could not hear anything after that except the roar of the flames, and it soon became apparent to me that I was doomed to die of suffocation from the smoke that began to creep slowly over the floor of the tunnel. The only way of escaping was to dash through the flames, but the bottom of the shaft when I went toward it was nearly a foot deep with burning coals, while the timbers of the doorway into the tunnel were on fire. I knew that I would be horribly burned if I made the attempt, and as I was in my shirt sleeves I had nothing to put over my mouth and nose, and as death seemed inevitable I preferred to die from suffocation.

"It must have been 20 minutes from the time that I discovered the fire before relief came. The tunnel had become as hot as a furnace, and was rapidly filling up with smoke, when I heard men on the other side of the shaft calling my name. I backed up as near to the fire as I could and yelled to them that I was still strong enough to get out if I had a chance. Then Dave Butler ye'led out: 'We are going to try to upset the barrels of water, and when the steam goes off make a rush for it." In another minute I heard them groping for the barrel with a long pole, and then came the hiss and the cloud of steam as the water struck the glowing coals. The steam disappeared up the shaft almost instantly, and I was just about to rush out when Butler yelled: 'Hold on Charlie we've got the other barrel and then came the sound of the water and the steam and in a few seconds I stumbled into Butler's arms and was carried out to the mouth of the

"I will rever work on a mine again. either underground or on top."

Southern Constable's Report,

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"Jube" Pusey constable of the town of Caberne Terr, was recently sent to less or some onlyes in a stable, but bis mission is as unsuccer soul for the reasons set forth in the following memorandum which he justed down on the levy before returning it to the court: *The above calves were secable through the kraks, but not gitable, as the door was looked."

SAVED FROM DEATH. DOG SEIZES ROBBER.

How a Chicago St. Bernard Recovered Stolen Goods.

Catches the Thief and Shakes Him Until He is Glad to Give Up His Booty-Other Clever Exploits of Bowwaw.

Bowwow is only a dog-her name tells that-but to read the story of her exploits, she might easily be thought a detective. For Bowwow has done things that it would require a detective, and a very swift-footed one at that, to duplicate, and not the least of these was her capture of a robber last Thursday, says the Chicago Chronicle.

St. Bernard dogs have been known time out of memory for their intelligence. Bowwow is a St. Bernard, and 'ahe has sense just like a person," as one of her human friends puts it.

John C. Uhrlaub, an importer of China, at 182 Wabash avenue, whose residence is at 1838 Wellington avenue, is Bowwow's master. The tale of how she took a thief into custody and refused to release him until he gave up the pilfered property, follows:

Baby Ruth Uhrlaub and a servant, Techla Strandell, and Bowwow went forth for a promenade. Little Ruth was in a baby carriage. She had refused to come unless Bowwow accompanied her.

Miss Strandell had snugly wrapped Ruth in furs and shawls, and was pushing her along slowly. The St. Bernard trotted tranquilly near the vehicle. When Clark street was reached, four blocks away from the house, the nurse stepped into a photographer's establishment, where she received some pictures. During her stay in the place Ruth was left to the care of Bowwow, who carefully watched that she did not fall from the carriage.

The servant was not long in returning, however, and the three soon started on their journey home. Miss Strandell laid the photographs, together with her purse, containing about \$12. on the baby's lap. The three proceeded

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List A. Taylor, Collector,



BABY RUTH AND HER PROTECTOR. on Clark street, when the servant's at-

tention was called to a show window. While she was looking at the things displayed in it a man passed and saw the articles in the buggy. He turned about, snatched them and them ran. But during all this time Bowwow was not asleep, and, knowing something was wrong, started on a run after the thief. She soon reached him a block away and jumped and seized him by the neck. Miss Strandell thought the dog had gone mad and was quickly at

the side of the captor and captive. Many persons were passing at the time, and exclamations that it was a pity that a big dog like that should attack a man were plenty. But Bowwow chewed and shook his prisoner, while the crowd stood amazed. Suddenly the fellow, who was much lacerated by this

time, shouted: "Take him away and I will give back

the package and pocketbook." They were then turned over to Miss Strandell, while a joyous look and bark came from the St. Bernard. The robber was given his freedom, and the three, with Bowwow wagging his tail, started home.

The dog, who is only three years old, showed her intelligence about six months ago, when robbers tried to gain entrance to the house. She heard the roise at the door and quickly woke Mr. Uhrlaub by striking him several times with her paw. Then the animal started to bark, and Mr. Uhrlaub opened the door, fired a shot and chased them

Bowwow was lately blessed with three little St. Bernard pups, and Mr. Uhrlaub and Ruth think the world of the whole family, but most of all of the happy mother.

Choir Boys Poorly Paid.

According to a musical person who ought to know church choirs in New York are poorly paid, if paid at all. The best paid soprano, he says, sings in one of the Fifth avenue churches. She gets \$50 a week. The average annual salary of a first-class soprano in a rich choir is from \$800 to \$1,200; tenors, from \$800 to \$1,200; contraltos, from \$600 to \$1,000, and bassos, from \$100 to \$800. And the man or woman with a voice has to have a pull with the musical committees of the big churches at that,

We Have None to Spare.

The light of civilization is not so brillian, in this country that we can affore shipping much of it to the orient. A woman in Maryland has just been committed to jail as a common scold A Missouri man was fined \$20 for whipping his mule and two dollars for beating his wife. A woman down east sought a ras leak with a naked light with fatal result. These are only fingerheards pointing out where missionary Out might be employed profitably at

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ON THE TIP OF THE TONGUE.

A college man, who has not been out of college very long, tells with cuthusinsm of how he spoiled a joke his father had put up on him. He wrote home from college that he was taking boxing lessons, and his father at once decided to alter the young man's tastes. He told his hostler, a colored youth, that he couldn't make \$5 any more easily than by putting the gloves on with the senwhen he came home and giving him a sound drubbing.

The offer was accepted and a darkey who was handy with his fists gave the bostler several lessons in the manly art in anticipation of the return of the collegian,

When the latter did arrive he noticed that the hostler was very anxious to make an appointment to put the gloves on with him, and also that his tather seemed to have a very funny secret which he shared with some well known prolessional men of this city, so he didn't "bite." One day he found Mr. Hostler alone in the barn and he rossed a pair of gloves to him and said: "Come on!"

The hostler didn't want to put up his bands without an audience, but the collegian biffed him one on his "coco" and told him to look out for himself for he was going to be pulverized.

And he was. The collegian hit him on the broad side of the head several times without effect and then changing his tactics landed on his solar plexus just once,-andthen the darkey bruiser's pupil went out of business. He wouldn't put the gloves on again with the collegian fer a stack of five dollar bills, and the father and his friends inissed all the

In one of the recent issues of a popular magizine, a writer took pains to puff one of the forces of an army which rarely receives recognition—the men who deliver the ammunition to the firing line. The article was of such keen interest that it could not but leave a deep impremien on the reader.

One of these men was on Eric No. 3 Wednesday night. His name was John Pierce, and he was going to Darby, Ravilla County, Montana. He was direct from a hospital at Santiago and he was going home as quick as a second-class ticket could get him there. He was not an enlisted man, but simply one of the men of "Pack train No. 9." He was through the thickest of the fray, and saw one battahon of the 71st. Regiment flering from Sau Juan hill, while mules and pack trainmen walked (not crawled) right or to the point where men lay at full length on the firing line. He was not touched by a single bullet, but on two occasions, mules be was leading, dropped in their tracks. Packmen were the most exposed men in the campaign, yet they never faltered, and Pierce is going out to Montana, glad that he is alive, bearing the marks of a long term in a fever hospital, where he paid \$37 for treatment, and swearing by all that's good that the government and its menials, (particularly Shafter) can look somewhere else for men in another war.

Peleoned by Cough Wedleine.

From our Wartsboro (orrespondent. Miss Adelaide Olcott came near losing her life from poisoning. Monday evesing. Suffering from a cold she took literal doses of a patent cough syrup, much of the liquod part of which had evaporated leaving in the residue a considerable percentage of prussic soid, which is sometimes used in each medicine. The prompt calling of Doctor Piper saved her life, she having suspected something wrong as the medicine nanseated her.

The Walling Estate Trouble settled.

At the meeting of the beirs of Wm. R Welling's estate with the beirs of Thomas Welling in Warwick, Saturday last, a satisfactory agraement was made and signed by which Thomas Welling, Jr., re | ever. tains the homestead farm of about 400

Wedded After Many Years,

After a separation of twenty-five years Tibbits Sherwood and Lida Robinson were married in Newark, N. Y. yesterday. They were lovers when young, but a quarrel caused their estrungement and the marriage of Mr. Sherwood to another. His wife recently died.

Will Build Two Comages,

Work has been begun on the cellar for a cottage which Mrs. Evans proposes to build on Irwin avenue. The lot extends through to Prospect avenue and later in the season she will build a cuttage on that street.

Ought to Be & Sure Cure.

Up in Troy 500 citizens are wearing muskrat skins with the for side inside as a cure for the grip. A muskrat skin supplemented by a horse chestnut in one pocket and a rabbit's foot in another ought to be a sure cure.

TOO MAMY THIRTEENS,

Those who still believe that bad luck attends the number 13 will find their faith increased by the story of a passenger on the Mohegan, which was lost at sea a few weeks ago. Just before sailing he wrote to a friend: "I am not superstitious, but if there is any ill luck about the number 18 I ought to get it this journey, as I have taken No. 13 cabin and paid \$13 for it." He lost his life, His body was the thirteenth identified. and the news was published in London on the 13th of the month.

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Correspondence Angua and Muncuay.

-The annual meeting of Sylvan Cemetery Association was held at C. G. Bennett's office, Jan. 16. The following trustees were elected: Jacob Helm, J. E. Holmes, J. G. Parsells (one year); T. V. Masten, Joseph Rosch, J. A. Fulton (two years); J. H. Holmes, M. E. Stanton, C. G. Bennett (three years.) The trustees organized and elected the following officers: J. H. Holmes, president; M. E. Stanton, vice president; C. G. Bennett, secretary and treasurer. W. C. Cogswell, who, for two years, has been president, resigned on account of infirmities. Treasurer's report showed receipts for the past two years \$219.14, and expenditures for same time, \$206.65 leaving \$12.49 on hand. This is the first time in over twenty years that the mesoriation has been clear of debt. At one time there was over \$1,500 indebtedness for lands, surveying, fencing, etc., and the members feel proud that they are out of debt and in all probability will be for many years bence.

-Joseph Appleyard (with wife, son and daughter) wishes to get a farm to work on shares, or otherwise; address Wurtsboro.

-The original South Carolina jubilee singers gave an excellent concert at the Reformed Church, Tuesday evening. They will appear again on Friday night, Jan. 27, at 7:30. Admission fifteen cents. -The hot chicken pie supper at Dr. Piper's, Toursday evening last, netted

about \$40, for which the Ladies Aid Society is thankful. -A donation party will be held at the reside to of key. Samuel T. Clifton, Wednesday evening, Feb. 1, '99. A cord-

ial invitation is extended to all. -A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest E. Sherwood, Monday night.

-Miss Bessie Holmes entertained a number of her friends at her home, last Tuesday evening, and Mies Katie Romer

entertained the same party at her aunt's, Mrs. D. B. Parsells, Friday evening. The soldier boy was liquized on both occaresidents,) we noticed George M. Ben-

nett, O. and W. agent, Apex, N. Y.; Theo. Wood, an Eric fireman of Port Jervis, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank F. Holmes, of

-Will Jordan, a member of Middletown's 24th Company, lately refurned from the Hawaiiau Islands, has been spending a week among friends here, who have tried to make it pleasant for him as he is the only native of Wurtsboro (as far as known) who enlisted in the late war.

-Case Ivory is removing his household goods to Newark, N. J. Mr. Ivory expects to spend his summers here, how

-Joseph E. Holmes is receiving from trappers and hunters large quantities of fur skins. He pays good cash price for all eut him.

-Among those from out of town in attendance at the juneral of Mrs. Russell Helen were Mrs. W. Dorrance, Middietown; Mrs. S. E. Pell, Arlington, N. J, and a sister of the deceased, Mrs. Elisa Baker, Gewanda, N. Y.

-Any hook and ladder company, or village, town or city having a hook and ladder truck for sale cheap, may find a buyer by addressing Foreman H. and L. Co., Wartsboro, N. Y.

-Wurtsboro Hose Company, No. 1, was incorporated under the laws of New York State, Jan. 18th, 1899. The company was organized Oct. 20th, 1898, and to-day it possesses 600 test of the very best hose, with nozzies, play pipes, etc., and a fine bose curriage, all received the past week, the outfit being worth \$700 at least, and only \$100 in debt. On Friday last, the equipment was tried and the water pressure was all that could be desired. The pressure at the hydrant near the post office is nearly 120 pounds.

-John W. Sullivan, of New York, has purchased the grist mill farm in this village, through Chauncey B Newkirk's real estate agency. That Mr. Sullivan \$7.50, now \$2.50 each. will make a most desirable citizen goes without saying.

-Frank A. Watson is spending the winter among friends at Ludlow, Ver-

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LANGUAGE MAKERS.

The Medical Profession Has Introduced Many New Words Into Our Language.

Modern medleine possesses a vast technical vocabulary, which is at once rich and precise, and to which the progress of discovery is constantly adding fresh terms. The spread of education and interest in sanitation is more and more incorporating medical terminology into common speech. But besides this and besides the names of familiar names of diseases and remedies, we have numerous words which. originally taken from medicine, have become part and parcel of our daily speech, and are no longer confined to strictly literal uses. For example, there are such words as "crisis." "fever," "symptom," "chronic," and many others. Going further back we have words derived from medical theories now superseded, as "mercurial," "jovisl," "martial," and "lunatic," "meiancholy," "phlegmatic" "cholerie," "humor," with all its derivatives. As medical terminology is almost wholly derived from the classic languages this immense addition is purely foreign.

In the Same Business.

"So her husband is an editor?" "Yes. But, good land! If there's anything in the way of news she can beat him publishing it abroad."-Baltimore Sun.

Speaking Advisedly, The Calm One-Ain't mad, are you?

The Choleric One-You mean "angry," sir! Only dogs get mad. The Calm One-Oh, no! I meant "mad."-N. Y. Journal.

Domestic Secrets.

Mr. Wagger-My wife is much given

to throwing unpleasant facts up to my Mr. Nagger-Mine uses tableware.-Town Topics.

face.

So Nice of Her. Bride-George doesn't seem to regard our marriage as a serious matter at all. Comforting Friend - Never mind. dear. He probably will after awhile .-

N. Y. Journal. A Triffe Late.

Said A-to B-: "When did you first get to know your wife?" And B replied: "After the honeymoon." -Ally Sloner.

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2-2-2 Stroke of bell denotes Chief's call.

3 Strokes of bell denotes 12 o'clock time.

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Some Poolish People.

Allow a cough to run until it gets beyonthe reach of medicine. They often say, "Oh, it will wear away," but in most cases it will wear them away. Could they be induced to try the successful medicine called Kemp's Balsam, which is sold on a positive guarantee to care, they would immediately see the excellent effect after taking the first does. Price 25 cents and 50 cents. Trial size free. At

Gris's Ravages Recent.

So much misery and so many deaths have been caused by the Grip, that every ose should know what a wonderful remedy for this malady is found in Dr. King's New Discovery. That distressing stubborn cough, that inflames your throat, robs you of your sleep, weakens your system and paves the way for consumption is quickly stopped by this matchless cure. If you have chills and ever, pain in the back of the head, soreness in bones and museles, sore throat and that cough that grips your throat like a vice, you need Dr. King's New Discovery to cure your Grip, and prevent pueumonia or consumption. Price 50 cents and \$1. Money back if not cured. A trial bottle free at J. J. Chambers's drug etore.

"Life Renewer" for Ladies.

Olivia Peterson, of Coldwater, Mich., writes: "I had not been able to sit up half day at a time for thirteen years until I used the Mystic Life Renewer. It has cured me of nervous troubles, headache and a very bad stomach. It has belped me in so many ways, and cured me of afflictious that the doctors said could not e cured. The blessed Life Renewer has done more for me than all the patent medicines, doctors and christian science treatments combined. It is the most wonderful medincine I ever saw." Sold by J. E. Milis, Druggists, No. 4 Empire Block, Middletown,

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and chronic form a cold in the head is known as Nasai Catarrh and is the rec ognized source of other, diseases. Hav ing stood the test of continued successful use, Fly's Cream Balm is recognised as a specific for membranal diseases in the nasal passage, and you make a great mistake in not resorting to this treatment in your case. To test it a trial size for 10 cents or the large for 50 cents is mailed by Ely Brother, 56 Warren Street, New York. Druggista

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Permanently cured by the masterly power of South American Nervine Tonic. Invalids need no longer suffer because this great remedy can cure them all. It is a cure for the whole world of stomach weakness and indigestion. The cure begins with the first dose. The relief it brings is marvelous and surprising. It makes no failure; never dieappoints. No matter how long you have suffered, your cure is certain under the use of this great health-giving force. Pleasant and always safe.

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Active January Retailing.

-Among recent visitors here (former residents,) we neticed George M. Bendert, O. and W. agent, Apex, N. Y.: Theo. Active Retail Business in January.

Were Favored with a Spirited Response. THIS GRATIFYING IS US.

Proves Our Particular Methods for January Merchandising to Be Sound.

and Mark This Week by a Showing of a Great Collection of Goods

that Have Great Price Attractions.

CONCEPNING And now comes the all OME NOTABLE store bearing at tailt being SOME NOTABLE store bearing at the litheling SILK BARDAFNS, our sike store, there is little need to quote qualities. All these have the Tompkins' stomp of excellence in this off-ring von will find by far the majority of the slike presented below are in generous-lengths. You can get many a slik dress this week for the price of a cotton one.

Pretty Plaids and Figured Taffetas, first price Plain and Two Toned Teffetas, slao Pigured Taffetas, in bright colors, first piece \$1, now

Black Figured Satins and Gros Grains, were \$1 and \$1 is, now esc. Black Satin Duchess, was \$1, now sec.

Black Peau de Hole, was \$1.50, now 98c.

Those for \$5 ofer a reason to be early, for some are the \$12.70 jeckets of the December standar, while oto its were sold at \$10. But in no case can you miss a bargain. The \$7 50 Coats are beautiful garments. They wond have cost you from \$16 to \$18 a

And now comes the all Boundary of the library of th only a single small profit between makers and our patrons. Usually that profit is a concession to seen no out to the immensity of our pur-chases. Thus you virtually buy Lineas nere at, or very close to factory prices. Here are offer-ings in proof.

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Fine Blenched and Half Bleached Table, Damask

50: per yard. At 75 a vard, and w white German Damask. At \$1 a yard, silk finished Flemish Damask.

At \$1 a dozen large Dinner Napkins, cut selvage At \$1.35 a dozen, I rge Dinner Napkins, 20x21 inches, fall selvage. At \$1 75 a dozen, elegant German Dinner Nap-kins, full blenched, worth \$2.50.

RIBWOT itte each, iarge Huck Towele, 12% each very large Huck Towels, hemmed, worth 15%. At 25c each, fine Satin Damask Towels, with knotted triags, worth 35c.

GOOD, BUT One dollar will buy a Parke, INEXPENSIVE white Cruc' etad Bed Spread, BED (LOTHING, choice of several attractive patterns, for the same sum you may have a Comfortable, warm and strong. A good assortment of field Spreads and Comfortables at other prices.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 26.—Snow or rain to-night; clearing Friday; much colder, Friday night.

THE TEMPERATURE. The following was the registry of the thermom-ter at Pronk's drug store. *o-day: 7 a. m., 26°: 12 m., 37°; 3 p. m., 40°.

AMUSEMENT NOTES.

-Jan. 26-Ball of 24th Separate Co. band, at the Casino. —Jan. 27—Y. P. S. C. E. rally at the Congre, gational Church.
—Jan. 27—"The Royal Box," at the Casino.

-Jan. 23-Cake sale at R. C. Tuthill's drug store, 108 North street -Jaz. 30-Feb. 4-Tommy Stearer and com-pany, at Casino.

-Jan. 31 -Mis a Myers' dancing class reception at Assembly Rooms -Feb. 13-McQuoid's annual ball, at Casino.

Feb. 14—Y. M. C. A. entertainment, Rev. Rus-H. H. Conwell, at the (Berto)

-Feb. 22-Jr. O. U. A. M. second annual ball at Assembly Rooms. -March 17-St. Patrick's Day-Billy Allison's masquerade ball, at the Casino.

-March 17-Second annual re-option and bath of St Patrick's Social Club, at Assembly Rooms.

The Engineering and Mining Journal estimates last year's output of gold as \$286.218,954. This is about \$50,000,-000 more than the output for 1897, which broke all previous records.

A novel case is to be tried in Bergen county, N. J., Jan. 30, when the public prosecutor will move the trial of the East Jersey Water Company on the charge of polluting the Passaic River by diverting its headwaters so that not enough is left in the stream to carry off the sewage of Paterson and Passaic.

Chemung county farmers are not enthusiastic over the results of their experiments in augar beet culture. The labor cost of preparing the soil, planting, weeding, thinning and cultivating was so heavy that the crop netted anything but large returns. One farmer, who raised eigty-five tons on five acres, had but \$9 left after paying expenses, but this was an exceptionally bad case.

The Eigin Creamery Co. is putting on the market a compound called eggine. which is made from sweet milk and intended to take the place of eggs in cookery. It is assirted that the stuff yields such satisfactory results and can be pre- | SENATOR PLATT'S MAIDEN ISPEECH pared so cheaply that, when its merits become known, it will be able to hold its own against eggs at six cents a dozen. Such an invasion of the hencoop by the cow ought to drive the owners of heas to seek legislation for biddie's protection, just as the owners of cows sought legislation against bull butter and allied abominations.

Gov. Stone, of Pennsylvania, in the appeal which he made to Republican members of the legislature to vote for Senator Quay, reminded them of the services he rendered as Chairman of the Republican National Committee in making Gen. Harrison president. This reference to the Harrison campaign has had an effect which the Governor did not intend, for it has brought to mind John Wanamaker's work in the same campaign when he "iried the fat" out of manufacturers to the amount of \$400,000 and turned the money over to Quay to use in corrupting voters and buying a Republican victory. Wannamaker, posing as a political purist, is now fighting his partner in the iniquity of ten years ago and denouncing him for his corrupt political methods, but since ancient political history has been recalled, Psalm-Singing John's denunciations have lost the ring of truth and sincerity, and even Quay's enemies have to laugh at their transparent hypocrisy.

IN THE RAILROAD WORLD.

-The Lebigh and Hudson River Railroad has been doing a very heavy freight business of late. The shipments of ice over the road have been heavier this winter than ever before.

-It is rumored that C. D. McKelvey, who recently retired from the superintendeney of the Susquehanna, may succeed Andrew Reasoner, as supermitendent of the Morris and Essex division of the D.,

-Raymond Myers, an Eric brakeman, fell from a car in the Su, quebuons, yard, Tuesday night, and dislocated his shoulder. His injury was attended to by a local physician and he was brought to his home in Port Jervis.

Special butter sale Friday and Satur day, Jan. 27th and 28th, only 20c. per 1b., 2c. below our regular price. Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Com. pany, 2 Empire Block, North street. 2td

THE EAGAN COURT MARTIAL Gen. Bagan in Mis Own Helbase-A Dra-

mutic Incident. Washington, Jan. 26.-In the Gen.

Eagun court martial, to-day, Judge Advocate Davis formally submitted Gen. Miles' testimony as an exhibit and the prosecution rested.

Col. Alexander and Col. Davis, of the Subsistence Department, and Miss Millard, Gen. Magan's sterographer, testified that he was greatly excited by Gen. Miles's testimony before the investigating commission, and said that en. Miles by inference called him a murderer and had taken away his character and that he had no redress.

Gen. Eagan was the next witness. He was much affected. His eyes were filled with tears, and his voice trembled when he spoke of Gen. Miles' attack on him and his honor as a soldier.

In answer to a question from his counsel whether he had received any benefit from any contract, Gen. Eagan said with great feeling: "No, on my honor and before my God not one cent of profit or gain did I ever receive, and yet my office disbursed \$19,000,000 and I am now a poor man, so poor I baven't now sufficient money to pay your fee."

FORMING AN ICE TRUST.

Proposed Consolidation of All the Leading Companies.

GARDINER, Me., Jan. 26.-From facts in the possession of men engaged in the ice business on the Kenebec, it appears that the bill to incorporate the American Ice Co., which Representative Manley introduced at Augusta, Monday, is a measure of greater magnitude than is understood by outsiders. It is taken here to mean not only the union of the Knickerbocker and Consolidated Companies, but also the consolidation of all companies of any note in the country. The Standard Oil Company is said to be behind the new ice company.

> ANOTHER RUBBER TRUST. BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 25-Articles of incorporation were filed with the Secretary of State, to-day, of the Rubber Goods Manufacturing Company, with an authorized capital of \$50,000,00. The company is empowered to manufacture and deal in all goods of which India rubber, gutta percha, balata or aubstitutes form a component part.

EX-ATTORNEY GEN. GARLAND'S SUD-DEN DEATH.

Washington, Jan. 26. - Former Attorney General Garland fell senseless from an apopletic stroke while addressing the United States Supreme Court shortly after noon, to-day. He was carried from the chamber and died almost immediately.

ASHORE ON THE BRITISH COAST.

MARGATE Eng., Jan. 26-A large ship is ashore on Long Sand and apparently is sinking. The local lifeboat has gone to her assistance. A beave sea is run-

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

Washington, Jan. 26.—Senator Plati, of New York, will speak, to-morrow, on Senator Vest's anti-expansion resolution. This will be the first speech be has delivered in the Senate since he became Senator Hill's successor.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONFERENCE.

Interesting Meeting at Grace Church— Addresses by Rev. Pascal Harrower and John Stoughten

A very interesting meeting in the behalf of Sundry School work was held in Grace Church, Wednesday night. A large congregation was present, and after a short service addresses were made by the Rev. Pascal Harrower, of West New Brighton, Staten Island, a former rector of Grace Church and John Stoughten, of New York.

The addresses were inspiring and interesting and outlined a scheme for the general reorganization of the Sunday School work of the church by the gradual formation of an organization of trained teachers.

Rector Evans, in introducing the speakers, made a short address on the the object of their visit, and referred to the fact that at the last Diocesan convention Mr. Harrower had been one of the clergymen selected to present this very important branch of church work. After the addresses many practical questions in regard to Sunday School work were asked the speakers to which matractive answers were given.

l aught by the Bogle Wan,

William Barnes, who has been dodging Truant Officer Penny for several weeks, was captured, this afternoon, and was giving a good exhibition of a boy crying as we went to press.

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eme ever contained so great curative power in so small space. They are a whole medicine

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ARCHDEACONRY OF ORANGE.

In Session at Grace Church To-day-Devotional Exercises in the Morning, at 4 Business Weeting This Afternoon.

The Archdenconry of Orange met in Grace Church, in this city, to-day, the following delegates being present:

The following are the delegates: Rev. W. R. Thomas (Archdeacon), Highland Falls; Rev. Mausfield, Callicoon; Rev. P. Creveling, Liberty; Rev. George C. Betts, Goshen; Rev. James H. McGuinness, Arden; Rev. John M. Bartholomew, New Windsor; Rev. David Evans, Middletown; Rev. John Auketeil, Walden; Rev. Rufus R. Emory, St. Paul's, Newburgh; Rev. Octavius Applegate, St. George's, Newburgh; Rev. U. Symonds, Port Jervis; Rev. Merrill, Tuxedo; Rev. H. Burker, Rosendale; Rev. Burrows, Rondout; Rev. C. A. Tibbals. Marlborough; Rev. H. P. Hobson, Sr. Luke's, Matteawan; Rev. W. J. C. Agnew, Stone Ridge.

The Lay delegates are H. C. Duryca aud H. C. Paine, Goshen; Dr. Mitchell, Newburgh; James E. Horton, Middletown; Mr. Freuch, Liberty; Dr. Woodhull, Monroe, and Mr. Appelton, New

Rev. J. H. McGninness, of Arden, preached a very interesting sermon to the delegates this morning, followed by an address by Rev. Pascal Harrower on Sunday school work, amplifying what he said at the meeting Wednesday night. Dinner was served at Rowley's.

This afternoon the routine business of the Archdeacoury is being transacted.

Cake Sale for Benefit of City's Poor,

The Missionary Society of the Y. P. S. C. E. of the First Baptist Church will hold a cake sale at R. C. Tuthilf's drug lin 5c. store, 108 North street, corner Cortland street, Saturday, Jan. 28th, from 2 to 6 p. m. This sale is for the benefit of the poor of our city, and those who help along the sale will be doing an act of charity. d23,25,27

Lather Lodg's I'westy-fifth Anniversary

The Angus acknowldeges the recipt of an invitation to attend the twenty-fith an-Biversary of Luther Lodge, No. 386, I. O. O. F., which will be celebrated at its lodge rooms, Wednesday evening, Feb. 22 nd.

An Eric Track Hand (njured.

An Italian track hand was struck by an Erie train near Cochecton. Tuesday. His jaw was broken and he was badly cut and bruised about the face and head. He was taken to the Port Jervis hospital.

The Ravazes of Crip.

That modern scourge, the Grip, poisons the air with its fatal germs, so that no home is safe from its ravages, but multitudes have found a sure protection against this dangerous maledy in Dr. Heinz's Apple Butter, in Three-King's New Discovery. When you feel a soreness in your bones and muscles, have chills and fever, with sore throat, pain in the back of the head, catarrhal symptoms and a stubborn cough you may know you have the Grip, and you need Dr. King's New Discovery. It will promptly cure the worst cough, heal the inflamed membranes, kill the disease germs and prevent the dreaded after effects of the malady. Price 50 cents and \$1. Money back if not cured. A trial bottle free at J. J. Chambers's drug store.

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-Remember that the third page of this paper contains good less! matter, to-

-Butter 20s a pound at C. M. Predmore's,

-24th Band concert, to-night. -The Maccabers will endeavor to install officers, to-night.

-The Pastime Club will have a dance at its rooms on East Main street, to--Two firemen from Monticello inspected the fire houses in this city, te-

Middletown Lodge. No. 112, I. O. O. F., will work the first degree, this even-

The Germania Mucunerator will hold a commers, or "stag" party at its rooms, to-night.

-Michael Reader fell on an icy sidewalk in Port Jervis, Wednesday morning, and broke his left arm.

-Hot drinks, beef tea, clam bouillon, tomato bonillon, chocolate, lemon and coffee, at Laskaris, 34 North street. tf

-The Ladies' Aid Seciety of St. Paul's Church will held a social at Mrs. C. W. Martin's, on Liberty street, to-night.

-The Newburgh papers boast that no arrests were made in that city for ninetysix consecutive hours up to noon Wed--If you want to hear good music and

want to do your mite toward supporting a good band, go to the Casino, to--There will be a dance at L. V. Baner's.

Friday night. Barnes' orchestra will furnish the music. John Decker and Harvey Huise are committeemen.

Royal Box" to be produced at the Casino, Friday evening, by Charles Coghlan and his Fifth Avenue Theatre company. -William Winter, the New York Tribune's dramatic critic, says of "The Royal Box" that "the public is indebted to Mr. Coghlan for a dramatic sensa-

-The Tommy Shearer Company which will appear at the Casino, next week, is playing in Port Jerris. this week, and the papers of that village speak of it in terms of high praise.

-There will be a large delegation of Company I hoys among the dancers at the 24th Band's hop, to-night, at the Casino. Go and see who has been sending letters to Honolulu.

-The adjusters for the companies that had written policies on France & Hathaway's furniture stock and John F. Bradner's building, are at work, to-day, settling the loss by Saturday's fire.

-The New York Times says of Charles Coghlan in "The Royal Box" "It is perfeetly safe to say that no piece of acting A superior merit in a technical sense has been seen in New York this season."

-Two earloads of machinery for use in the throwing department of Gallant Brothers' silk mill reached Delhi, this week. When the machinery is in place employment will be given forty addition-

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PERSONAL.

-John Decker is visiting his mother at Paterson.

-Miss Claribel Pillsbury went to New York to-day.

-E. D. Woodhull, of Monroe, was in town to-day.

-Henry L. Beakes is confined to his bed with an attack of grip.

-Mrs. Gilbert Beebe and daughter went to New York, to-day, for a few davs visit.

Charles A. Jacobus, of Middletown, N. Y., was a visitor in town, Monday

evening .-- Port Jet vis Union. -John P. Laskaris of the Palace candy store, Middletown, is visiting the Lask-

aris Bros. of the Candy Kitchen. * * * -Mrs. Evelyn DeWitt, of Buffalo, who has been the guest of Thomas K. De-Witt, returned to Buffalo on Erie No. 1,

-Mrs. Geo. W. Brown, of Winterton, is lying very sick at the home of her sister, Mrs. John S. Conkling, at 137 Academy avenue.

-Mr. and Mrs. Ora O'Neal drove to Greenville, Wednesday, to attend the funeral of their old friend and former neighbor, Horace M. Holley.

-Henry Procopee, who has been laid up with blood poisoning, which caused his arm to swell, was able to resume his duties at Gunther's, to-day.

-Among the mourners at Mrs. Richard Drake's funeral, Wednesday, were Daniel Fisk, of Woodside, L. I., her son, and Decatur Carmichael, of Washingtonville, and Mulford Carmichael, of Woodlawn,

brothers of the deceased. -Harry Sudderly received a letter, today, from Clifford Burroughs, who formerly lived on East Main street. and is now a member of Troop I, Sixth Cavairy and stationed at Fort Sill, Okla. | months ago, died, Tuesday night, at Private Burrougha expects that his regi-

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DENTON-At Port Jervie, Jan. 20th, '99, Mrs.

Secon Josephine Dyston.

Paperal criday, at two p. m., at Prosbytosta. Charch, Port Jervis. Interment at Dunion.

UNDER THE CRUEL CAR WHEELS

Arthur D. Case, Au Erle Brukeman Killed in Front of the Gregovart Sepot-Was Thrown From the Top of s for When the Sinck of the Train Was Taken Up-The Body Not Mangled Though it Partly Berailed a Car.

Arthur D. Case, whose home was at Howells, was killed by the cars, Wednesday afternoon, at 4:25 o'clock, at Greycourt. Case has been braking on the read but two months. If he had had more experience he would hardly have stood on the top of a box car and looked down at the coupling as the slack was taken up. When the shock came he was precipitated between the cars and fell on the rail. A pair of trucks passed over him, and then, a bystander save, he made an effort to draw himself out, and a cry of agony was uttered. The signal to stop was quickly given, and then, unferrunately, the next pair of wheels stopped on his body and were derailed. The train was started up and the dying man was carried to the baggage room where he breathed but a few moments.

Brakeman Case belonged with Conductor Nicholas Walsh's "pickup" crew, and the accident occurred while west bound, almost in front of the Greycourt depot. The authorities were notified and the car was replaced on the rails.

Coroner Decker, who had been called to Campbell Hall to grant a burial certificate, was notified at that place, and he drove to Goshen, changed horses there and then drove on to Greycourt, reaching there at 9:45. He summoned a jury which viewed the remains, and in the absence of the train crew, took an adjournment until this afternoon.

Charles Hanners, brother-in-law of the unfortunate brakeman, arrived at Grevcourr on No. 14, and Coroner Decker having secured an order for the remains to be taken on No. 8, he accompanied them to Port Jervis, where Undertaker Terwilliger took charge of them. -Seats are selling rapidly for "The

The deceased was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo D. Case, who live near Howells, and was about twenty-eight years of age. He married Miss Annie Blair, in New York city, two years ago, who survives him.

Dr. Smith, of Chester, examined the body before it was removed to Port Jervis, and found that the back had been broken. The wheels had passed over the chest, crushing the life out of the man. but he was so thickly dressed that the cruel wheels had not broken the skin. Coroner Decker found that the dead

man's gold watch was still running. He also found \$9 in the man's peckets. Brakeman Dwyer, who climbed down off a box ear at Greycourt, at 11 o'clock,

said that he and Case began work on the same day, and that he was well liked and was doing nicely.

"NOT GUILTY" SAID THE JURY

James Tomers Acquitted of the Charge of Killing Patrick Rorrings. The trial of James Somers for man-

slaughter, at Monticello, resulted in the acquittal of the defendant, Tuesday. Somers' wife and daughter testified

that Morrison was the aggressor in the quarrel which resulted in his death and that Somers did not strike him until after all efforts to induce him to go away had proved of no avail.

son's brain would indicate apoplexy and that the calcareous deposit found is the valves of his heart would indicate a weakening of the arteries, especially those of the brain.

Testimony as to the good character of the defendant was given by several witnesses.

The jury after an hour's absence rendered a verdict of "not guilty."

Something for the Superstitious to Make a Note of.

Superstitious people in Fishkill are talking with bated breaths of the fact that two weeks ago when Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Moith celebrated their wedding anniversary, they flew in the face of fate by allowing thirteen persons to sit down to the table. A few days later their sevenyear-old son was attacked with diphtheria and lingered until Monday, when

Knocked flows and Rus Over.

Will Smith, the little son of J. H. Smith, the Beattle avenue grocer, was skating in front of his father's store, Wednesday, when he ran into Thomas Neville's wagon, which was passing, and was knocked down and run over. He was badly bruised and one of his toes was so badly crushed that the nail came off. The boy is doing well, to-day, and will soon be able to go out again.

Has Woved to Paterson.

William Kurtz, who formerly conducted a meat market on Prince street, removed to Paterson with his family, Wednesday, where he will take charge of a market formerly conducted by his

Chitmary Notes.

-Earnest Harrington, aged two years, died at Campbell Hall, Wednesday, of membraneous croup. -William Henry Duane, a native of

Port Jervis, where he resided until three Cumberland, Md., where he was employed as a glass blower. He was forty-five -Mrs. Ida A. Ulrich, widow of Phitip

Ulrich, died, Tuesday night, at her home in Port Jervis, of exhaustion following a lingering illness. She was forty years old, and is survived by a son and a

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died Sunday, aged seventy years. His

Merace M. Melley. Horace M. Holley, an aged and respected citizen of the town of Greenville.

last illness was of two mouths' duration. He is survived by his widow and four sons and three daughters. The sons are Oscar, Edgar, Charles and Eugene. The daughters are Carrie, wife of Levi Cuddeback, of Port Jervis; Frances, wife of Joseph Davey, of near Pine Island, and Jennie at home.

Mr. Holley was often honored by his fellow citizens by election to town offices. He was for many years a member of the Greenville M. E. Church and his upright life won for him the good opiziou of all who knew him, His funeral was held Wednesday.

Wry. Angeline Helm From Our Wurtsboro Correspondent.

Angeline Holmes, wife of Russell Helm. died Jan. 10th, 1899, at Denver, Col. She was born at Ellenville, N. Y., Feb. 12th, 1855, and soon after her birth her parents removed to Wurtsboro. She was married to Russell Helm about twenty years ago. They made Wortsboro their home, and little occurred to mar their happiness until about two years ago, when the heavy hand of a dreaded and wasting disease fell upon the wife and mother of this home. By the advice of her physician she went to Colorado in August, 1897, but contrary to a cherished hope of recovered health the result was as above stated.

Mrs. Helm was a devout christian, which fact was manifested in her daily life and in her patient endurance of her affliction. Early in life she identified herself with the M. E. Church of Wortsbero, in the welfare and work of which she always took a deep and active interest. In the Ladies' Aid Society and in other church relations she will be seriously missed, but in none of them more than in the Sunday School, where for years past she has been one of the most faithful and zealous of members, both as scholar and teacher. In the home, a term which to this family especially was one of much significance, she was a bright and shining light, a leving and devoted wife and mother.

Mrs. Helm leaves to mourn her death a husband and two sons, Lee and Charles; also a father, mother, three sisters and two brothers, all residing in the West. There are besides a host of sorrowing friends and neighbors.

urial was in Sylvan Cemetery.

Cen. Lyon W. R. C., No. 180. Entertain

The entertainment of Gen. Lyon W. R. C., No. 180, which was to have been held Jan. 24th, but which was postponed, will be given Saturday evening, Jan. 28th, at Knights of Hosor hall, at 8 o'clock. Admission ten cents. Don't fail to come and have your fortune told by the Gipsy Queen from Boston, and also appease your appetite with a good dish of clam chowder, ten cents a dish.

Has Settled With His Creditors.

The last issue of the Jeweler's Weekly contains the statement that A. B. Shaw, a jeweler of New Rochelle, has settled with his creditors after a failure, for Drs. Cauthers and Bradley testified twenty-five per cent. cash and twentyfive per cent, in well indorsed notes due in four, seven and eleven months. It is understood that the amount of the indebtedness will reach \$7,500. Mr. Shaw learned his trade with B. F. Gordon.

Minstrels' Rehearsai Priday Night.

The chorus for the minstrels will meet at Monhagens' truck house, Friday night. In addition to members of the drum corps, the chorus will consist of Frank Bowers, George Wengenroth, Harry Fisher, Thomas Gillen, Philip Gile, Noble Wood, Ernest Cox, Harvey DeWitt, Julius Korn, Stewart Gregory, E. S. Merrill and H. Ostendorf.

Miss Lila A Stewart's Kirmess Engage-

Miss Lila A. Steward has been engaged to give a kirmess at Summit, N. J., early in the spring. Rehearsals will be begunas soon as possible after she closes her engagement to give a kirmess at Toledo.

A Village's Good Investment,

A well informed resident of Newton, N. J., estimates that the annual saving to property owners in Newton on insurance risks, through the town's water system and consequent reductions of premium rates is \$10,364.

Civil Service Examination in Newburgh In Newburgh the civil service law is obeyed in letter, if not in spirit, and, there being two vacancies on the police force the city's civil service commissioners will hold an examination, Monday, of applicants for the vacancies.

In the Secial World. -Mrs. Alton J. Vail and Mrs. W. N.

Knapp entertained the Ladies' Whist Club, Wednesday afternoon, at Mrs. Vail's home. The favors were awarded to Mrs. Wm. Snyder and Mrs. Mary -Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Benson entertain

the Highland Avenue Whist Club, to-Syes and Nose ran Water,

C. G. Archer, of Brewer, Maine, savs: Ebave had Catarrh for several years.

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INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN GOSHEN TOWN.

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From Our Regular Correspondent.

-Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ware, of Dover, N. J., have issued invitations to the wedding of their daughter, Mabel, to Harry A. Ackley, of this village, at their home in Dover, on Wednesday, Feb. 8, at 6 p. m. Mr. and Mrs. Ackley will reside in Goshen.

-On Feb. 1 the etore in the Seely Block until recently occupied by Johnson, the baker, will be opened by the Seely Grocery Company as a high class grocery and provision store. Mr. Johnson has stored his goods in the Poppino building and returned to Deckertown.

-The Pastime Club held a masquerade dance at Kounight's Hall, Monroe, Wednesday night, at which affair Goshen figured prominently, quite a number of the fifty couple present being residents of this village. The cake walk was won by Harry Dutcher, of Goshen, and Miss Millie Lowe, of Monroe. John Dil lon and Joseph Kane, of this village, were also aspirantt for the prize, and it was necessary that Mesers. Dutcher, Dillon and Kane walk several times before the decision of the judges could be rendered. The dance broke up at 4 a. m., the Goshen contingent arriving home on the first milk train.

-The San Francisco Minstrels will play at Music Hall to-night. The company gave a street parade at noon. -Major Crawford is seriously ill at his

home in Hamptonburgh. -Mrs. T. D. Condict will entertain the

Ladies' Whist Club Saturday afternoon. -Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Merritt will entertain a number of friends at theirhome

tion in the grocery store of Mrs. D. G. -Miss Lillie Fancher, of Warwick, is risiting her brother, Frank Fancher, in

-Albert Weymard has secured a posi-

-The Neighborhood Whist Club was entertuined at the home of E. O. Hopkins this afternoon.

A Very lateresting Programme Arranged for Friday Night's Meeting at the First Congregational Church.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S GRAND RALLY.

The Christian Endeavor Societies of this city, the Goshen and Denton societies, the young people of the Mission and the Epworth League, will join in a grand rally at the First Cougregational Church, to-morrow night at 7:30 e'clock.

The service will be preceded by a praise service, under the leadership of W. W. Clark. The choir will consist of sixty voices, and a large orchestra has been provided. It is requested that everyone bring Gospel Hymn Book No. 6.

Tabor Knox, of Warwick, will preside at the meeting. State President Elliott, of New York city, will give an address on the "General phases of the work;" Rev. Mr. McKenzie, of Port Jervis, on Opportunities of 1899:" E. J. Bennett of Port Jervis, "From a layman's standpoint," and Mrs. Tabor Knex on "Junier work.'

A large delegation from surrounding villages is expected, and the rally will be the most enthusiastic meeting ever held in this city.

A collection will be taken to defray ex-

It is requested that all members of the choir meet in the lecture room of the church at 7 o'clock sharp.

Brook Trout fry for the shawangunk

Sixteen cans of brook trout fry about ten monthe old arrived in town, to-day, from Cold Spring, being the second allotment this year to the Erie waters near this city. John Wilkin placed them in the Shawangunk kill.

Real Estate Sales.

-Mrs.Jennie L.Neff bas sold herfarm of 400 acres near Colchester to Asa Neff for \$4,000. Mrs. Neff well move to Walton. —Downsville News.

-John J. Van Ness, the liveryman, bought U. H. Wiggins's house and lot on Main street, Warwick, at auction, on Saturday last, for \$3,025.

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A PEACEFUL PROVINCE Reports In Regard to Incendiarism and Brigandage Denied.

GUANTANAMO, Cuba, Jan. 26.-The Cuban general Pedro Perez, mayor of Guantanamo, denies absolutely the charges recently brought by Lieutenant Colonel Ray and others against the insurgents in this district, particularly the charges of incendiarism and brigandage. Exhibiting his commission as a major general in the Cuban army as a proof of the hold he has upon the insurgents, Mayor Perez said yesterday:

"They are all my friends, and I must know it if such acts as have been reported were really committed. I am convinced that there is no band organized to burn the sugar cane, and I know that there is not an insurgent camp in the entire district under my supervision as a Cuban commander, and I believe this section about Guantanamo is the most peaceful part of the province."

Among the planters opinions are about equally divided. Three whose plantations are in the immediate vicinity of Guantanamo assured the correspondent yesterday that they had had no trouble and did not believe any one else had. On the other hand, three others, with equally good opportunity to know the facts, confirmed the reports

Theodore Brooks, who owns several large plantations, is firmly convinced that there does exist an organized band for burning cane and preventing grind-

Chief of Gendarmery Vallente, who has been making a special investigation, asserts that this district is absolutely the most peaceful part of the province and that over 5,000 former insurgents are now at work on various plantations within a ten mile radius of Guantanamo.

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

The preliminary sitting of the Venezuelan court of arbitration was held in

The fourteenth ballot for United States senator in Dover, Del., gave Addicks 15 and George Gray 15.

Mrs. Erastus Wiman fell down a stairway at her country home, near Cayuga lake, and one of her arms was broken. The Chicago Art institute reported the wiping out of the \$100,000 debt, and it is believed that an American art gallery will be established there as a new fea-

B. L. Ackerman, president of the Keely Motor company, issued a statement defending the inventor and declaring he knew all about the tubing discov-

The Lafayette memorial commission decided to ask congress to have issued souvenir 50 cent pieces to aid in raising the necessary funds for the completion of the monument.

Spaniards Mislead Filipinos.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26 .- A most interesting report upon existing conditions in the interior of the Island of Luzon has reached the government through two young naval officers, one of them Paymaster Wilcox, who made a trip afoot and in boats clear across the greatest length of the island. They found the obstacles to progress even on foot almost beyond belief, and it required not less than two months for them to make the trip. They have a good deal to say incidentally in their reports upon the political situation and assert that the Spanish before retiring from the interior managed so thoroughly to poison the minds of the natives against the Americans by representing them to be slave masters and monsters of destruction toward all alien races that it will be only with the greatest difficulty that confidence in our good intentions can be implanted

For Librarian of Congress.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26 .- The fight for the post of librarian of congress has actively begun at the White House, and two candidates were pressed on the president's attention yesterday. Senator Elect McComas of Maryland presented George Alfred Townsend and asked for his appointment. About the same time Senator Platt of New York had an interview with the president, in which he spoke in behalf of Thomas G. Alvord, another newspaper man and Librarian Young's chief assistant. Others, who, however, did not personally see the president, were at the White House to indorse Mr. H. B. F. McFarland of this city, a newspaper man who has received some hearty indorsements.

Icehouses Again Destroyed

WOOD RIVER JUNCTION, R. I., Jan. 26.-L. D. Richmond's icchouses at this place, which were in process of rebuilding after their recent destruction by fire, were wrecked by a squall yesterday, and seven workmen were hurt, A 35 foot wall and two sides of the structure fell. The men were buried in the wreek, and several broken limbs and other injuries were sustained. The Richmond plant was the largest in the

Dinner Tendered the Governor. ALBANY, Jan. 26.-Lieutenant Gov-

ernor and Mrs. Timothy L. Woodruff, at their house, 35 Elk street, last evening tendered a dinner to Governor and Mrs. Roosevelt. The house was handsomely decorated with palms and cut flowers, and the table was prettily trimmed with smilax. The dinner was a most enjoyable occasion and is the first given by the lieutenant governor and Mrs. Woodruff in their new home.

Railway Cashier Missing.

BOSTON, Jan. 26.-The Dominion Atlantic Railway company, as well as the local police, are very much exercised over the whereabouts of David J. White, the cashler of the railway company at their wharf office in this city, who, it is claimed, left the city Jan. 16, with his accounts showing a shortage of nearly \$2,000. A reward of \$200 has already been offered for his apprehension.

Quay Still Behind.

HARRISHURG, Jan. 26.- The result of the seventh joint ballot for United States senator yesterday was as follows: Quay, 104; Jenks, 79; Dalzell, 16; Stone, 7; Stewart, 8; Huff, 5; Irvin, 2; Tubbs, 2; Rice, 2; Grow, 1; Markle, 2; C. E. Smith, 1: Widener, 3; Frank E. Riter (Rep.) 2; total, 234; necessary to a choice, 118; paired, 18. No election.

Colon Strike Spreads to Panama. COLON, Colombia, Jan. 26 - The strike of the Colon dock laborers has extended to the Panama wharfmen, and business has consequently been further re-



ed with good health are really a king and queen. They are possessed of an armor that enables them to with tand all the hardships and misfortunes of life. Accidents aside, they will live long, happy lives of mutual helpfulness, and they will be blessed with amuable, healthy children. They will sit together in the twilight of old age and look back without records over a mutually hand. back without regret over a mutually happy, block without regret over a mutually happy, helpful, useful, successful companionship. There are thousands of young couples every day who start wedded life with but one drawback.—one or the other, or both, suffer from ill-health. There can be no true wedded happiness that is overshadowed by the block cloud of physical sufferior. The the black cloud of physical suffering. The man who contemplates matrimony, and realizes that through overwork or worry or neglect, he is suffering from ill-health, should take the proper steps to remedy it before he assumes the responsibilities of a husband. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is the best of all medicines for men who have neglected their health. It makes the appetite keen, the digestion perfect, the liver active, and the blood pure and rich with life-giving elements. It is the great blood-maker and flesh-builder. It invigorates and gives virility, strength and vigor. No woman should wed while she suffers from weakness and disease in a womanly way. These are the most disastrous of disorders from which a woman can suffer. They break down her general health. They unfit her for wifehood and motherhood. They make her a weak, sickly, nervous invalid. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription cures all weakness and disease of the delicate and important organs that bear the bur-dens of wifehood and motherhood. It transforms weak, suffering, fretful invalids into healthy, happy wives and mothers. Both medicines are sold at all good med-

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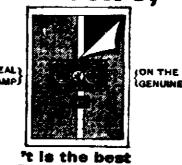
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shows his smartness." - Washington

Why She Was Out.

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my dear girl, I saw her at the window

as I came up the steps, and I am sure

"Not in?" repeated Mr. Borum,

"I must say," said Farmer Cornton

"Neither can I," answered his wife.

Tim-Really! How?

when you introduced him.

ever to them dialect pieces."

scarcely glanced at you.

Eyes, Male and Female.

Miss Nochick-So you have been married a year. Has your husband found out about your dyed hair, false treth or glass eye yet?

Mrs. Wedlate-No, indeed; he's been too busy concealing the same defects in himself .- N. Y. Weekly.

Begs It. Teacher-Where is the island of Cuba

situated? Jonny-I dunno. Teacher-Where does your father get

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New Boarder-How's the fare here? Old Boarder-Well, we have chicken every morning. New Boarder-That's first rate! How

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Wederly-No, indeed! I wear a belt now. It keeps me so busy supporting a wife that I haven't time to sew on buttons.—Chicago Daily News.

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POETICAL EXPRESSION.



"Oh, that I had the wings of a bird.

—N. Y. Evening Journal. Ante-Mortem.

When he hasn't a brake on his wheel At the top of the hill-it is said That the inquest may later reveal A very large break in his head

Mutually Entertained. Terwilliger - I wonder why Jones and Smith are so fond of arguing with each other.

Peterson-As near as I can find out each one thinks the other is a fool .-Puck.

"Do you think plagiarism is unforgivable?" asked the young woman. "By no means," answered the man who poses as a severe critic. "I wish some of our modern writers would do

A Wish.

more of it."-Washington Star.

What He Got. Frozen Flannery-I wunst sued a feller for ten thousand dollars fer defamation uv character an' ce jury gave me

Frosty Fagin-Dollars? Frosty Flannery-No; days .- Judge.

With His Uncie, Bill-Have you got a watch?

Jill-Certainly. Bill-Is it going? Jill-Not with me.-Yonkers States-

The Fool-What fools women make of men! The Fairy-Why blame the women? -N. Y. Evening Journal.

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INDIAN WITCHCRAFT.

It Is Still Practiced Among the Zunis of the Southwest.

Prof. G. Wharton James Describes a Trial Which, a Short Time Ago. Nearly Led to a Revolt of the Aberigines.

(Special Arisona Letter.) ITCHCRAFT still existent in the United States? Certainly!

Don't believe it. That doesn't alter the facts. There are thousands of people to-day in the United States who as implicitly believe in witches and wizards and witcheraft as did our Puritan ancestors in Boston and Salem.

Nick, whose picture I here show to you. Nick is an Indian and lives at Zuni, in New Mexico. Take your map of that territory, and you will notice just on the borders of New Mexico and Arizona the town of Gallup. Fortyfive miles south of Gallup is Zuni. Coronado visited it over 350 years ago, and expected to find its streets paved with gold. Of course, he was disappointed. Nick was born there, so also was another Zunian who is generally known to the white people as Dick. But though their names are much alike, they themselves mentally are very different. Nick was brought up in a white man's family, speaks English fluently, and regards the religious ideas of his people as superstitious non-

Dick, on the other hand, is a firm believer as are nearly all the Zuniansin witchcraft.

A few years ago Nick mortally offended some of the chief priests of made brilliant the red and gray walls Zuni, and they felt it was necessary to humble him in some way, and destroy brought out from the estufa and con-

, outlet to the world outside except the small hole at the top, through which the poles of the ladder pointed to the dark and lowering sky; 20 darkskinned, wrinkled-faced, stern-visaged warriors, with naked bodies painted in mysterious symbolism which denoted their abhorrence of the practices of which their captive was accused; no light save that given from two or three smoky pine torches, which merely served to heighten the gloom and render more terrible the merciless faces of the warriors.

Seated on the ground in the center of the circle formed around him sat the captive. No movement was possible, and the gag prevented the ismance of any sound from his lips; only the flercely, proudly disdainful flash of his eyes, and the unrepressed snort of anger denoted the defiance his tongue longed to utter.

As he sat there his captors began to sing. Wild, weird, plaintive, thrilling, Listen, while I tell you a story of passionate in turns, it was all the time pregnant with woe for Nick: "In our hands is he-

The cruel, treacherous witch Who blights and slaughters by fiendish

arts
Our sheep, our cattle and our children; Seek we now ourselves to save E'er he drive us to the grave."

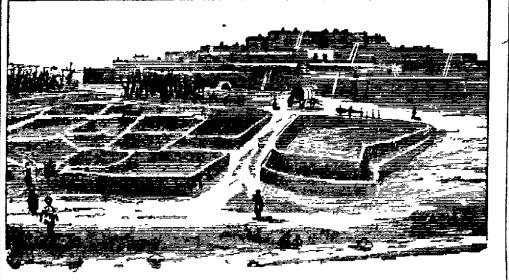
The song ended, one by one his accusers stated what they had suffered at his hands. No stolid, indifferent Indians were these, but quick-witted, alert, active to arouse indignation and anger against the one man hated, despised and yet feared, who, by compulsion, crouched before them. Fierce were the words, fiercer the gestures

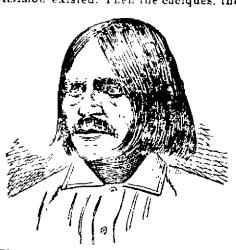
Na-n-che, the war chief of the tribe, finally gave the word for what was to be done. It was now daylight. The early beams of morning light lit up the valley, with its dead lava flows side by side with the living stream, and of Ta-ya-o-la-ne when Nick was

and more fierce still the looks cast to-

wards the accused witch as the nar-

rations proceeded.





ZUNI NICK, THE ALLEGED WIZARD

priesthood of the Bow and the city offi cials felt it incumbent upon them to take steps to disarm the dreadful power ascribed to Nick, even to the point of exorcising the demon by fire or water

In the still of the night, down in one of the underground kivas of the tribe, called by the old Spanish warriors estufas, or stoves, on account of their inpeace and safety of their tribe met Dick was accused, and no doubt accurately, of being one of the party, Carefully each man was bathed in water from the sacred spring of Ta-ya-ola-ne; a charm especially prepared was hung around the neck of each one; a fresh supply of sacred meal was given to all who were in any way to Landle the defiled man, and then, after due consultation and laying of plans, the party set out to arrest the disturber of their

Without a sound, as secretly and stealthily as they had come, they returned to the kiva with their unhapny but defiant and proud-spirited cap-

And now that I had the skill of a Rembrandt termaint the picture, and the graphic pen of a Macaulay to describe it, as the suspected and already condemned man was placed on his

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THE PUEBLO OF ZUNI FROM THE SOUTHEAST.

his influence with the young men, or their own power would largely be lost. The evil fates favored them. For a couple of years crops were bad. Floods came and washed out their corn once: then a fierce wind came and blew all their growing peaches off the trees; a disease carried off a number of their sheep and goats, and, to crown all, an epidemic of smallpox slew a number of their sheep and goats, and to crown all, an epidemic of smallpox slew a number of their baby boys and girls.

Little by little it became whispered about—no one exactly knew how—that Nick was responsible for all this evil. Finally it was openly stated that Nauche—one of the chief priests—accused Nick without sprinkling an offering of sacred meal to all the gods of all the six car dinal points—north, south, east, west, up and down, in order to ward off his wicked influences.

For some days this fearful state of texasion existed. Then the caciques, the could or would Nick confess? He had nothing to say, and a second time he was hoisted, this time with fierce imprecations, equally without success; a third attempt brought forth blows from the onlookers, and a storm of hisses, sneers and revilings from the men and women of the village who had now gathered in a crowd to witness the punishment, even unto death if need be, of this hated foe of their peace.

But by this time Nick's friends were aroused. They complained to the few whites who were in the village, and interference on Nick's behalf was at once made. He was released from his cruel bands, his wounds attended to, and a courier sent post-haste to the commandant of the United States military post at Fort Wingate for troops to arrest the perpetrators of this deed of darkness. Two days elapsed and an officer with several men appeared on the scene. The warlike Zunis, always intolerant of outside interference in their affairs, viewed with bitter anger the arrival of these men, and urged on by the unwise counsels of some of the more daring resisted the troops, astolerable heat, these defenders of the sailed them with foul names from their housetops, led them into a trap, and there, by force of superior numbers, well armed and dangerous, kept them until reenforcements, which had been hastily summoned, arrived. After due consultation of the military men with Nick and others supposed to be familiar with the affair it was finally decided to arrest two prominent Zunians, punish them severely, warn the others and thus end the affair without provoking an Indian ontbreak. Dick was one of the two singled out for arrest.

Brooding upon his imprisonment he came to the conclusion that Nick was responsible for it, and upon his release and return to Zuni it was with all of an Indian's vindictiveness and hatred, but now combined with a wholesome fear of the power of the white men who declared that Nick should be protected, that he looked and atill looks upon the man through whose instrumentality he was imprisoned. ___G. WHARTON JAMES



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WALLKILL COUNCIL, JR. O. U. A M. State Officers Present Wednesday Night -Ntate touncilor's Dift to the Council

—Likely to Wie a silk Flag. The official visit of State Councilor William C. Anderson and State Council Secretary L. F. Page to Wallkill Council, No. 92, Jr. O. U. A. M., which was made Wednesday evening, was the occasion for a meeting of unusual interest. Delegations were present from Delaware Council, No. 9, of Port Jervis, and Mini- in bicycle lamps. Hereafter, in transit or sink Council, No. 53, of Unionville. Twelve candidates were initiated and six | metically sealed iron receptacles marked propositions were received.

After the degrees were worked the members and visiting brothers met in the dining room and proved their pa-

Brother Auderson explained eloquently applauded by all present.

At the conc usion of his remarks State floor. Councilor Anderson presented Wallkill Council with a handsome picture of the American flag. He said that when he started on his tour among the councils of this city.-N. Y. Sun. he made up his mind that he would give this picture to the council at which he had the best time, and that Wallkill Council had won it hands down.

Mr. Anderson also said that he intended to present a large silk flag to the council that had the most members present at the time of his official visit and that Wallkill Council, which nad 103 members present, Wednesday night, was then far No. 1 on his list.

Mr. Moulton, of Minisink Council, also made a most interesting address. An address was also made by Deputy State Councilor Beemer, of Wallkill Council.

The silver cup offered by Past Councilor J. B. Wheeler to the member of Wallkill Council presenting the most apto W. H. Mead.

O. & W'S NORWICH SHOPS.

Superintendent West Explains Why the Men Were Laid off. From the Norwich Sun

In regard to the recent lay-off of a number of men at the O. & W. shops in Power G. W. West has authorized the publication of the following:

There will be no shut down in any department; men enough will be kept to do the running repairs of the machine shop, and no changes are contemplated in the car shops. On account of the present excellent condition of the rolling stock of the road it was necessary to make a reduction of men in certain departments to avoid needless expense. The removal of the sh -ps from Norwich has not been considered.

A Week's sugagement at fopular

The engagement of Tommy Shearer and his clever company of dramatic, comedy and specialty artists for one solid week, commencing Monday night, Jan. 31, will be bailed with delight by all lovers of good things. The company will offer a week of high class attractions at 10, 20 and 30 cents, opening with and would not part with. that grand production, "Only a Farmer's Daughter." A carload of special scenery is used, and pleasing specialties are introduced between the acts.

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A recruiting office for the U.S. cavalry was opesed in Paterson, Wednesday.aud it was at once overwhelmed with men anxions to calist. Up to 3 o'clock thirtyfive recruits had been accepted and notice was then posted that no more applications would be received that day. Nine of the recruits accepted saw service. in the Second New Jersey Volunteers during the Spanish war.

Bodies of Drowaed skaters Sot Re Covered

The bodies of Miss Sinclair and Walter Watts, who were drowned whileskating on the Hudson, near Newburgh, Monday night, have not beeen recovered nor are they likely to be, the open spot into which they skated having been filled with floating ice, which makes it impossible to continue the work of grappling.

Surprised by the N. B. A. Club

A surprise party was given Chaton Niver, Wednesday night, at his home, No. 139 North street, by about thirty members of the N. B. A. Club. The usual games were played until midnight.

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> > A WANDERER RETURNS.

J. V. A. Whitbeck Betuens to Newburgh to Claim a Legacy.

J. Van Allen Whitbeck, a former well known horseman of Newburgh, who left that city suddenly in 1895, returned, Wednesday, to claim a legacy of \$10,000 left him by his mother. Although her death occurred some time since he did not learn of it until a few days ago.

When he left Newburgh Whitbeck left a young wife, who, it is said, procured a divorce and has remarried. Whitbeck, under the name of Harry Howard, has covered a great deal of territory since he left Newburgh, having been in plications for membership, was awarded | Mexico, Canada, Germany and many of the principal cities of the United States.

SOMETHING OF AN EXPERIMENT

Manager Lea's Guarantee of \$400 to "The Royal Box" Company.

Many people have often expressed the course that more high class theatrical companies might be brought to this in this place. Superintendent of Motive city. George Lea, the Casino's new manager, in order to determine whether the patronage accorded first class companies will warrant their engagement has given Charles Coghlan a \$400 guarantee for Friday night. He ought to receive the generous support of Middletown theatre goers and it he does other high grade companies will be brought here.

A Thumbic With a flistory.

From the Kingston Leader. George Main, the well known Strand harness maker, uses in his business every day a steel thimble which has been in active service for over 100 years. The thimble was first used by Mr. Main's great-grandfather, then by his grandfather and father, and the present owner has used it himself for over thirty years. Mr. Main prizes the thimble very highly

If C. H. Chapin, who now owns Lebanon Like, in Sullivan county, can obtain the consent of the fish and game commissioners he will drain the lake, remove all the fish that it new contains and stock it with trout. For years the lake has been one of the most popular resorts in the county for pickerel fishers and those who visted it were almost certain to secure good catches.

There is more Catarrn in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and preecribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the mar-It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

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General Electric	10934	112
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Prof. G. T. Ross will dance barefoot on broken giass. Don't forget to rome. See the acrobatic skill of Prof. Ross and his presentation of the ludias war dance from the wild west. Mas Gray, acrobatic, song and dance; Mis-Ross, southwite Dance Thursday night. Amateur Night, Saturday night.

Our Annual January Sale of Muslin Underwear!

4 392 pieces of Muslin Undeawear in this Great January Offering. Successful storekeeping does not mean gigantic profit; it weans doing business continually, constantly selling seasonable goods at such small profits. This is the argument for the thousands of pieces we offer you and you reap the benefit of our close buying No woman can afford to miss this great sale. We advise all our customers to come early while the assortment and sizes are unbroken.

Corset Covers.

252 plain Corset Covers in cambric or fine muslin, sizes 32 to 40; 9c each. 288 Muslin and Cambric Corset Covers, cut V and square shape, trimmed with embroidery, 15c.

240 Corset Covers, made from fine muslin or cambric, trimmed with wide Hamburg, sizes 32 to 88; 19c.

480 Corset Covers in a gree of styles. You will wonder how they can be made at the price; as long as they last 25c.

360 fine Cornet Covers, all nandsomey trimmed, mostly blouse shape or new French shape; as long as they last 48c.

Short Skirts.

Six different styles, made plain, tucked and trimmed, with lace or embroidery. For this let, 29, 34, 48, 69c.

HOWRS.

10 dozen plain Muslin Gowns, nicely made and full size; as long as they last

24 dozen Gewns, six different styles in this lot, all nicely trimmed and full sized. Be sure and get your share, 49c. 12 dozen Gowns, made from extra

heavy cotton, some plain, others trimmed; great values for the prices, 59 and [31 dozen Ladies' Gowns, some trim-

med with lace, others trimmed with embroidery and insertion. Must be seen to be appreciated. You will wonder how the trimmings could be bought at the prices, 79, 89, 98c, \$1,19, \$1,48.

White Skirts.

Ten different styles in this great assortment, made from fine muslin, all umbrella shape, at 39, 49, 79, 89, 98c, \$1.19, \$1.39, \$1.48,

Drawers.

240 pairs Muslin Drawers, made from good muslin, with extra wide ruffle tucked, 19c pair.

not be better made, with extra wide ruffle of cambric, hemstitched; 25c pair. 120 pair Umbrella Drawers, trimmed with fine embroidery; while they last

120 pair fine Umbrella Drawers, made from fine cambric, trimmed with lace and

Fine Umbrella Drawers, made from fine muslin or cambric, handsomely

Ladies' Gowns. Ladies' Short Skirts, Men's Night Shirts and Children's Gowns and Night Brawers at our special low

Our Annual January Sale of Housekeeping Goods!

This is the time of the year every good housekeeper lays in her stock of Housek-eping Goods By watching the market and buying and selling for spot cash, we are able to offer you goods that every one who needs such goods can afford to buy their whole year's supply at this Great January Offering We quote a few of the many bargains we have that will pay you ta come miles to get rather than miss the chance of getting your share

Table Linen.

25 pieces for this great sale, the way the linen market is about the wholesale

58 inch half-bleached Table Linen, cost more to import; as long as they last 25c.

58 inch bleached Table Damask, not one thread of linen in it, but great goods to wear, 25c vard. 72 inch bleached Union Table Linen,

pargain, 40c yard. 72 inch, all linen, bleached Table

shown by any firm this year, 50c yard.

Sheets and Pillow Cases. 5-4 Bleached Hemstitched Pillow

Cases made from yard cotton, 10c. 5-4 Bleached Pillow Cases, no better cotton made, finished with beading,

washed and ironed, 12c or \$1.25 dozen. 8-4 and 9-4 Bleached Sheets, made 85 and 40c each.

Towels.

Hotels and barbers ought to take advantage of the great offering sale as well as housekeepers.

25 dozen Union Linen Towels, sizes 18x25, 7c each or 75c dozen. 15 dozen all Linen Huck Towels, size

19x30, 10c each. 15 dozen extra heavy unbleached Bath Towels, as long as they last, 10c, size 19x36.

50 dozen all Linen Towels, extra only one pattern in this 5 piece lot, but a large and heavy, three different styles, 25 dozom Fancy Towels, all pure

Damask, the best value that will be linen in eight different kinds, fringed and hemstitched, as long as they last, 19 to

Men's White Shirts.

25 dozen Men's 69c Night Shirts made from the very best cotton and trimmed with finishing braid, as long as they last 50c.

25 dozen Men's White Dress Shirts, sold as the Davis Special, made with a split neck band, felled seams, cut full size from fine cotton, all washed and ironed, and perfect fitting, as long as they last,

Bed Spread.

White Bed Spreads bought in October and held for this great January sale. There are three kinds, all hemmed, ready for use. Come and see them and you will feel that you should at least buy one-half dozen.

150 10-4 White Spread, all hemmed, ready for use, well worth 69c, at 49c.

128 11.4 \$1 White Spread, all hemmed, ready for use, for this sale 75c.

56 11-4, extra heavy \$1.50 White Quilts, one of the best values ever shown by any firm, \$1.19.

Domestics.

Extra heavy unbleached cotton, full yard wide, 5c yard. Fine yard wide Bleached Muslin. nameless, but one of the best made, 5c. 9-4 Bleeched Sheeting, five pieces in this lot, as long as it lasts, 15c yard. Fine Wool Blankets, extra size, silk

bound, \$3.98 pair. Fine Comfortables, filled with white batten, as good as homemade, \$1.89, **\$1.48**.

240 Flaunelette Wrappers, mads in one style, in eight different colorings, bound seams, well worth \$1; for this great JANUARY SALE 79c. Sizes 32, 34, 36, 39, 40.

HART DAVIS, NO. 45 NORTH STREET.

240 pair fine Muslin Drawers, could

insertion; for this sale 39c.

trimmed, in a great variety of styles, 49c.

Outing Underwear.